

# The Encinitas Ranch Newsletter

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## ERMGC DUES TO INCREASE \$5 IN 2006

The April issue of FORE magazine notified all members of a \$5 increase in the SCGA fee to maintain handicaps. The increased fee, charged to its member clubs, was necessary to offset increased costs in processing monthly scores. This increase represents the first fee increase by the SCGA in many years and will allow the SCGA to continue to serve all of its members in a timely manner.

In order to maintain the level of service ERMGC members have come to enjoy, the Board of Director, by a vote of 7 to 1, approved a resolution to pass the \$5 increase through to its members by increasing the annual dues an equal amount. (Please see the enclosed 2006 Membership Form). New members will pay \$95 and renewing members will pay \$75. Current members who fail to renew by the strict November 12, 2005 deadline will be required to rejoin and pay the new member rate of \$95. So be sure to renew on time and save.

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## SCGA TEAM PLAY

We are currently getting ready for the annual SCGA Team Play. There are two team play leagues that play in January and early February. Each league plays 6 matches against three other teams. The two leagues are Saturday (with practice rounds typically on Thursday) and Thursday (with practice rounds typically on Tuesday). The Saturday team plays from the blue tees and the Thursday team plays from the white tees. You must have been a member of the Encinitas Ranch Men's club since March 1, 2005, and have a low index of 18.4 or lower to qualify.

Each team must have a minimum of 16 players. Last year our Saturday team had 24 players and each player was scheduled for 4 matches plus 2 practice rounds.

**We need to determine the level of interest for this year to plan the team.** If more than 24 players opt for team play, we may have a qualifier. If less show an interest, we may not be able to field a team. Please respond by **October 20** with your interest. Although players can only be on one team, please show your interest in Saturday or Thursday.

Team play is a fun experience. If you are interested in participating this year, contact Henry Logan at [hdlogan@adelphia.net](mailto:hdlogan@adelphia.net) or mail the form below to:

**ERMGC Team Play, P.O. Box 231880, Encinitas, CA 92023-1880**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
SCGA # \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Interest:            Saturday ♦      Thursday ♦  
I am interested in  
being a team  
captain                      Yes ♦      No ♦

**Please Reply by October 20**

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## DIRECTOR POSITIONS OPEN

The club is seeking to fill vacancies on the ERMGC Board of Directors. Directors serve as volunteers to oversee club policies and activities. Minimum qualifications are listed below.

1. ERMGC member for at least one year.
2. Regular participant in Wednesday Sweeps, monthly tournaments, SCGA Team Play, or San Diego County Senior League.
3. Possess computer skills with regular access to the Internet and email communications. Basis skills with Microsoft Word and Excel.
4. Willing to attend monthly board meetings and devote additional time to club business.

Anyone interested in becoming a Director should contact me via email ([rbeckman@san.rr.com](mailto:rbeckman@san.rr.com)).

**Dick Beckman** President

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## ERMGC CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

September, 2005

### Championship Flight

Pos.	Golfer	Prize
1	Jim Hartley	\$350
2	Brian Gable	\$200
3	Tim Dudek	\$100
3	Scott Stewart	\$100

### B Net Flight

Pos.	Golfer	Prize
1	Mike Cameron	\$350
2	Jeff Turner	\$200
3	James Bachrach	\$100
3	Mike Galey	\$100

### A Net Flight

Pos.	Golfer	Prize
1	Bob Burke	\$350
2	Rob Linkenheil	\$200
3	Chris Butler	\$100
3	Scott Gunderman	\$100

### C Net Flight

Pos.	Golfer	Prize
1	Ken Wolff	\$150
2	Val Tesoro	\$ 75

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## TOURNAMENT NEWS

**Jim Hartley** is our Club Champion for 2005. He will represent ERMGC in the SCGA Tournament of Club Champions at Mission Viejo CC in December. This is the third time that Jim has won the **Club Championship Tournament**. He was the winner the first two years the tournament was held. Once again the competition was close in the Championship Flight with a lot of outstanding golfers competing. In order to win Jim had to play four good rounds. He beat the Poinsettia Cup winner **Brian Gable** in the final match.

**Bob Burke** won the A Net Flight in convincing fashion. He had the low net score in the qualifying round and won his three match play rounds by scores of 4&5, 3&2, and 4&5. **Mike Cameron** won the B Net flight. He defeated Jeff Turner on the first play off hole. **Ken Wolff** was the C Net Flight winner.

The **Johnson and Wood 4-Man Scramble Tournament** will be held on October 30<sup>th</sup> this year. The entry form is in this Newsletter. The cut off date for entering is October 20th. Get your entry form in as soon as possible. The field will be limited to 32 teams and we usually have a full field for this tournament. You can also enter as a partial team or as an individual. This is our last shotgun start tournament of the year. There will be a dinner and a raffle following the tournament.

**Bill Eblen** Tournament Chairman